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LINDE—In loving memory of Harry Eyre Lindé, son died of wounds received in action, 24th June, 1916, aged 23 years.

WRIGHT—In proud and loving memory of Lieut Driver A. B. Wright, R.F.A., died from wounds received in action, 24th June, 1919. Inserted by his loving father and mother, brothers, and sisters.

BIRTHS.

JACKSON—June 17, 1921, at Wellfield, Ballybrack, Co. Dublin, the wife of John Jackson, of a daughter (Phyllis).

LAWSON—June 9, 1921, at Brooklyn, N.Y., to Mr. and Mrs. George Douglas Lawson, a daughter.

O'GRADY—May 25, 1921, at Buckley, Flintshire, to Mr. L. S. and Mrs. O'Grady, a daughter.

SHEEHAN—June 20, 1921, at Park ter., Dundrum, the wife of Captain T. F. Sheehan, D.L.I., of a son.

WALTON—June 20, 1921, at Alberta No. 2, to Sergeant and Mrs. Walton, a son.

MARRIAGES.

GILLMOR and McELROY—June 22, 1921, at the Parish Church, Ballymote, by Rev. C. J. A. Gillmor, M.A., Henry J., youngest son of the late Alexander Gillmor, Ballinacarrow, Ballymote, Co. Sligo, to Margaret Kathleen Elizabeth (Lily), second eldest daughter of the late George McElroy, Collooney, Gurteen, and niece of Charles Graham, solicitor, Ballymote, Co. Sligo.

PARR and PERCY—June 15, 1921, at Corbally Church, by Rev. Alfred V. Smyth, Rector, assisted by Rev. Hill de Vere White, Rector of Bourney, Rev. Hill de Vere White, Rector of Bourney, John, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Parr, Ivy Cottage, Ashtamair, Rosgrey, to Margaret Evelyn (Eva), eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy, Cappalinan, Rosgrey.

POWER and MacCAUSLAND—June 15, 1921, at Ballybay, Armagh, with Nuptial Mass, by His Eminence Cardinal Logue, assisted by the Rev. J. Toner, C.C., Joseph A., son of Doctor and Mrs. Power, Borrisoleigh, Co. Tipperary, to Aileen, only daughter of the late John MacCausland, Newtownards, and Mrs. MacCausland, Armagh.

THORNTON and SUTTON—June 8, 1921, at St. Catherine's Church, Dublin, by the Rev. C. R. Dawson, M.A., Francis, youngest son of the late Thomas Thornton, and Mrs. Thornton, Moahill, Clontarf, to Mary, youngest daughter of the late Robert Sutton and Mrs. Sutton, Chepstowan, Co. Kildare.

SILVER WEDDING.

O'MARA and POWER—June 24, 1896, in the church of Our Lady of Refuge, Rathmines, Dublin, by Rev. Dr. Hackett, President of St. John's College, assisted by Rev. Fr. O'Donnell, Joseph, second son of James O'Mara, J.P., Limerick, to Bride, only daughter of Michael J. Power, Waterford.

DEATHS.

CHARLES—June 23, 1921, at his residence, 51 Clonliffe rd., Robert Hugh Charles, only surviving son of the late Hubert Charles, of Musselburgh, N.B., Colonial Service at Mendip, aerugne (Cemetery) 3.30 p.m. to-morrow (Saturday).

COULTER—June 22, 1921, at Mullingar, Lennox Coulter, Hospital, Kingsbridge, London, Matilda (Maudie), third daughter of late John Allen Coulter, Ballina, Co. Mayo. "For ever with the Lord."

CREAGH—June 23, 1921, at Mallow, Henrietta, relict of the late Arthur Grehin Creagh, in her 93rd year.

FENTON—June 22, 1921, at Knockreagh, Lower Co. Wicklow, Richard, beloved husband of Jane Fenton, aged 82 years. "In a sure and blessed hope of a joyful resurrection." Funeral to-day (Thursday), 12.30, to Donaghmore.

FLYNN—June 23, 1921, at her residence, Church rd., Greystones, Hannah, the beloved wife of Patrick Flynn. "I know that my Redeemer liveth." On Xs., 25. Funeral, 3 to-morrow (Saturday) to Redford.

HICKS—June 20th, 1921, at her residence, Ballydonoghan, Ballon, relict of the late Robert Hicks, aged 84 years. "Safe in the arms of Jesus."

MAHON—June 22, 1921, at her residence, Valleymount House, Blessington, Co. Wicklow, Mary Josephine, second daughter of the late Thomas Mahon. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing brothers and sisters. Funeral to Ballyboys to-day (Friday) at 3 o'clock.

SMYTHE—June 23, 1921, at Blackrock Pensions Hospital, Co. Dublin, Thomas Henry Smythe, of 3 Lower Ely Place, Dublin, late Quartermaster Sergeant, Royal Irish Rangers, aged 54 years. Deeply regretted by his loving wife and family. May he rest in peace. Funeral private. English papers please copy.

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IN MEMORIAM.

FOSTER—In loving remembrance of our dear son, who departed this life on June 24th, 1920, at Sydney, 21 Upper Erne st. "Not dead, but sleeping."

MacARTHUR—In loving memory of Herbert Leopold youngest son of the late M. and MacArthur, who was called to rest 24th June, 1920. "He will be missed."

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Performance of "As You Like It"—Lord Iveagh's Garden (entrance Harcourt Street), 6.45 p.m.
Fête in aid of Royal City of Dublin Hospital—Hospital Grounds, St. Mary's Road, 2 p.m.
Dublin Metropolitan Regatta—Ringsend.
Dr. Kitson's Lecture—T.C.D., 5.30 p.m.
Marlborough Street Training College—Distribution of Prizes, 3 p.m.

The Irish Times.
FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1921.

Fifty men in ambush attacked a police convoy near Farranfore on Wednesday. The police turned a machine gun on their assailants and scattered them.—(P. 3.)

An unsuccessful attempt was made to ambush a party of policemen near Colooney on Wednesday.—(P. 3.)

Early yesterday three hundred men ordered the inmates of Skibbereen Workhouse outside and then burned the building.—(P. 3.)

Major de Berry, a retired military officer, was kidnapped at his home in the County Cork on Wednesday and carried off.—(P. 3.)

Bombs were thrown and shots were fired at the police and military in Cork yesterday. A young woman was killed and other persons were injured.—(P. 5.)

The action had not concluded yesterday in which Mr. R. G. Wheatley sues the National Bank for £95, alleged to have been lodged by him in the Birr branch of the bank.—(P. 4.)

The report of the Board of Superintendence on the Dublin hospitals lays stress on the seriousness of their financial position.—(P. 3.)

The King and Queen arrived in London yesterday. The King said that his reception in Belfast was "wonderful."—(P. 3.)

The King's Speech, which was read in the Senate of the Northern Parliament of Ireland yesterday, expressed the hope that just government would contribute to the healing of differences which have long disturbed Ireland.—(P. 4.)

The Marquis of Londonderry, speaking in reply to the King's Speech yesterday, said that, short of separation, the South and West of Ireland might develop plans to end the present uncertainty.—(P. 4.)

Sir James Craig outlined the policy of the Government of Northern Ireland yesterday.—(P. 4.)

Addressing the Ulster Special Constabulary at Newtownards yesterday, the Chief Secretary said that, by the maintenance of discipline, they could help to restore order and set an example to the rest of Ireland.—(P. 3.)

In the House of Commons yesterday the Prime Minister accepted Colonel Walter Guinness's amendment for the reduction of the vote for the salary of the Minister without portfolio, who is to hold office during the present session.—(P. 3.)

The London Stock Markets had a slightly better appearance. The Bank of England rate was reduced to 6 per cent. Discount rates were nominal, and daily money in fairly good supply. Dublin Market was barely steady.—(P. 8.)

Dr. Addison's Salary.

The much advertised campaign against the Government's retention of a Minister without portfolio came to an end rather tamely in the House of Commons yesterday. The Prime Minister turned the vote on Dr. Addison's salary into a question of confidence in the Government; but he compromised with his critics by asking them to consent to the retention of the Minister without portfolio until the end of the present session. Mr. Lloyd George's speech showed very clearly that he is not at all happy about the "revolt" in the Coalition's ranks. The greater part of it was devoted to a defence of the Government's decision to keep a Minister without portfolio; and most reasonable men must recognise that his main arguments were quite sound. In comparison with the Governments of pre-war times Mr. Lloyd George's Administration, undoubtedly, is overworked. There, as he pointed out, the Cabinet was wont to meet, on an average, once a week, and enjoyed a very long vacation. This year already the Cabinet has met fifty-two times; there have been 119 meetings of Cabinet committees, and the Supreme Council has held no fewer than eighty sessions. In these circumstances it is not hard to understand the Premier's wish to have at his disposal the services of a Minister who is free from departmental pre-occupations. At the present moment the Government is faced with an array of formidable problems which demand close attention. The industrial struggle is at its height. The Imperial Conference is grappling with the most momentous issues of the Empire's history. The peace settlements of Versailles and Sèvres are badly in arrears; and every day seems to complicate the problem of unemployment.

The value to the Government of a Minister without portfolio is very obvious, and Mr. Lloyd George asserted that it could not dispense with Dr. Addison's services while so many difficult tasks remained to be achieved. Bureaucracy must be prevented from gaining ascendancy in the nation's affairs, and nobody except a Minister without the responsibility of a department could devote the necessary time to the work of general supervision. Then the Premier announced that he did not propose to retain Dr. Addison in office beyond the end of the present session. This concession to his critics was veiled in an almost reckless optimism. If Dr. Addison is indispensable now—indeed, if he ever was indispensable—we cannot believe that the Government will be able to do without him when the session comes to an end. Surely Mr. Lloyd George does not suppose that the series of problems which he enumerated will have been solved by that time? Even on the wild assumption that they will have been solved, are not a dozen others, equally grave and equally baffling, waiting to take their place? By his promise to Parliament the Prime Minister stultified nearly all his previous arguments on Dr. Addison's behalf. Had he stuck to his guns and refused point blank to weaken his Administration for the sake of £5,000 a year, his arguments probably would have carried the day and he would have had another Parliamentary "triumph." Had he admitted frankly that a Minister without portfolio was a luxury, and that, even in this ornamental capacity, the former Minister of Health was never likely to set the Thames on fire, he might at least have made a virtue of necessity and made a bid for the favour of the "anti-waste" party. The course which he did take was neither one thing nor the other.

Dr. Addison's salary is only a detail. In these times when national finance has become what the Germans call a *Milliardenspiel*, or a game of billions, £100 a week is a mere drop in the ocean. Nevertheless, as Mr. Lloyd George said, when great issues are shaking a country they are often fought on small incidents. The *affaire* Addison is a case in point. The country at last is beginning to revolt against the incidence of taxation, and the results of recent by-elections prove that it is determined to put a stop to waste of every kind. Much of the agitation against Dr. Addison has been stimulated artificially; but here was a tangible instance of unnecessary expenditure (for, while Dr. Addison may be indispensable, his salary is much too large), and those members of Parliament whose constituents were harassing them with protests against "waste" seized on it to demonstrate their zeal in the people's cause. Inasmuch as Mr. Lloyd George's strategic retreat yesterday shows that public opinion has not ceased, after all, to influence the House of Commons, the incident is very welcome; but it has not solved the problem of national expenditure. The great danger now is that Parliament, having made its little demonstration, may slip unfortunately back into its old habits and proceed to sanction vote after vote without taking the trouble to check the bills. The pressure of public opinion must be maintained; otherwise next year's Budget will condemn the taxpayer to another twelve-months of virtual beggary. Just as the iniquity of Dr. Addison's salary has been magnified out of all proportion, it is possible that too much importance may be attached to the Premier's concession. The normal Budget is still remote.

Germany's Example.

The good qualities of the German people—their frugality and their patient industry—never were seen to better advantage than now. When they lost the war they lost nearly everything that they had won during the preceding half-century. Their mercantile marine was taken from them; their colonies passed into the Allies' hands; they lost some of their richest coal and iron-fields; and they were saddled with a staggering burden of debt in the shape of reparations. These penalties were no greater than bare justice demanded; but it is doubtful whether any other country could have borne them. We print to-day a report by Mr. P. Harvey Middleton, the Assistant Manager of the International Trade Service of the Guaranty Company of New York, who has just returned from a tour of observation in Germany. After referring to the excellence of the crop outlook he mentions the enormous activities proceeding at the Krupp's Works at Essen and the *Rhein. Metall Fabrik*, Düsseldorf. These two concerns provided every instrument of warfare which the High Command required. Now they are devoted exclusively to the manufacture of articles which Germany and the world need in the work of reconstruction. They make machinery of all kinds, ranging from cash registers to locomotives; and they employ more hands than when the war was at its height. Mr. Middleton cites these cases as typical of what is happening in Germany. "Every chimney stack," he says, "is belching smoke." In other words, Germany is straining every nerve to overcome her disabilities and to regain her former place in the world's commerce. The chaotic condition of the exchanges, of course, helps her to secure foreign orders; but that is not the cause of her rapid recovery. Orders would be of little use if she could not fulfil them. Her strength is derived from the patriotism and common-sense of the working classes. They realise that it is a time for self-sacrifice and hard work—not for talk about nationalisation and a higher standard of living than they enjoyed before the war. After the revolution the Workmen's Councils secured the abolition of payment by results and the introduction of the eight hours day. These "reforms," however, have been swept aside. To-day piece-work rates are paid in every factory and the workers toil for twelve or fourteen hours instead of the stipulated eight. The Workmen's Councils have lost their power because, Mr. Middleton tells us, the men are unwilling to leave their work in order to attend the meetings. What a contrast Germany presents to the United Kingdom! Here the miners, the engineers, the cotton operatives, and a host of other workers are either on strike or threatening to strike in a vain effort to preserve their wages at the war-time level and to secure further concessions which their industries cannot afford to pay. As a result the country's recovery from the effects of the war is painfully slow. It is time that Labour should take a broad view of the situation and changed its policy. Otherwise we never shall reap the fruits of victory.

The Dublin Hospitals.

Sir Alfred Mond's statement in Parliament yesterday concerning the Government grant to voluntary hospitals will be read with dismay in Ireland. When the Cave Committee recommended a grant of £1,000,000 this country assumed with equal confidence that the money would be forthcoming and that the Irish hospitals would get their fair proportion of it. Now we learn that, on account of the critical state of the public purse, the grant has been reduced to £500,000 and that Ireland is likely to get nothing at all. To Captain Redmond's demand for a reason why Ireland was to be excluded, while Scotland was included, Sir Alfred Mond replied that our Home Rule Parliaments could make grants to our Irish hospitals out of their financial abundance. It was a truly cynical answer. No doubt, the new Northern Parliament will give some assistance to the Northern hospitals; but to what official quarter may the hospitals of Dublin and the South turn for help? Everybody knows that no Southern Parliament will sit in Dublin unless the political situation undergoes a swift and sudden change. The position of the Dublin hospitals is truly grave. We print to-day a summary of the latest report upon their work and circumstances. It is thoroughly satisfactory in so far as it is a whole-hearted tribute to the efficiency of the hospitals' work, but thoroughly dismal from the financial point of view. Every one of the Dublin hospitals is burdened with a heavy load of debt, and the state of the country discourages any prospect of increased contributions from voluntary sources. Sir Alfred Mond's casual dismissal of their needs must not be the last word on the matter. We hope that Captain Redmond and the other Irish members will press the subject insistently upon the conscience of the House of Commons and will seek and find the aid of the Irish Executive, which is—or ought to be—familiar with the facts.

A Nation's Tribute.

Governments always have been grateful to military genius which has saved the State. Many of Britain's noble houses carry titles which were earned on the high seas and on the battlefields of Europe. In at least one case an estate and palace, provided by public funds, rewarded a famous victory and perpetuated its name on the soil of England. Few of our chief soldiers, however, have received such a truly national compliment as that of which Field-Marshal Earl Haig can boast to-day. The Mansion of Bemersyde is one of the historic castles of the Scottish Border—the last of them, indeed, which is still inhabited as a manorial residence. It has been in the possession of one or other branch of the Haig family for eight hundred years. In 1919 the happy suggestion was made that the nation—not the State—should present the home of his forefathers to Lord Haig as a tribute of gratitude for his public services. A fund was opened for the purpose and was so well supported that the title deeds of Bemersyde are now in Lord Haig's hands—fulfilling, as he has said, an ambition which was rather the dream than the hope of his life-time. The country would have approved a proposal that the gift should be voted by Parliament; but its voluntary character will make it still more precious to the Field-Marshal. Blenheim founded a family. Bemersyde, as the spontaneous gift of a thankful nation, will increase the honour of a family that was ancient in the days of Marlborough's Wars.

DUBLIN DRAPERY TRADE DISPUTE.

GENERAL CLOSING THREATENED.

The general closing down of most of the drapery establishments in Dublin is threatened in evidence of the position brought about by the strike of over three hundred hands employed by Messrs. Switzer and Company, Limited, Dublin. The decision to strike was taken in consequence of the refusal of the management to dismiss certain employés who refused to join a trade union. As a result the shop was closed.

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The Merchant Drapers' Association Committee held a further meeting last evening, and decided that, if the staff of Messrs. Switzer and Company did not resume, the notice should take effect.

A statement of the circumstances by the Merchant Drapers' Association appears in our advertising columns.

THE GAIETY THEATRE.

"TANNHAUSER."

The interpretation of Wagner's "Tannhauser" at the Gaiety Theatre by the O'Mara Opera Company left little to be desired. The opera is one which seems to appeal in a special manner to a Dublin audience, and the fine weather and numerous counter-attractions in the open air notwithstanding, there was a good attendance in every part of the theatre. The work is one which makes heavy demands on the principals and orchestra, but a high level was maintained throughout, and the performance was received with every evidence of appreciation. The members of the caste who rendered the leading parts acquitted themselves ably, and the concerted work was also good. The orchestra, which was conducted by Mr. R. J. Forbes, gave a satisfactory account of itself, and interpre

SPECIAL EXTRA.

FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

MINERS' APPEAL TO OPEN THE PITS.

Three Notts miners—William Holland, Tom Jones, and H. C. Fensome—have handed the following important statement to *The Times* for publication:—"We are working miners in the Notts district, and we have come to London, which is the centre of all movements, to see if anything can be done to put an end to this devastating dispute. The financial resources of our organisation are exhausted, and our particular union is £110,000 in debt. We are cognisant of much suffering among our own people. We have knowledge of cases that have been days without food in the house, and if the channels of charity, whereby the children are being fed, dry up, what will occur then? We make an earnest appeal to the owners to offer us a square deal which will give justice to the miners and leave no stigma of defeat. We believe that if they will do this, and make a plain statement of the terms offered, and open the pits simultaneously in all the districts, the men will gladly respond. Will not the House of Commons help us to get this reasonable and common-sense step taken, so that the coal industry may be set going again in the common interest of all?"

THE BANK RATE.

The Times, in a leading article on the subject of the reduction of the Bank rate to 5 per cent., observes:—This welcome reduction has been long deferred. It was foreshadowed weeks ago, and would have taken place last month but for the continuance of the coal crisis. It was common knowledge in City circles that the Bank Court had previously made up its mind not to make any reduction in the rate until the coal stoppage was over. It quickly drew the inference that in authoritative quarters the crisis was regarded as virtually over. In any case, there can be no doubt of the wisdom of the step taken by the Bank. It will lower the cost to the Treasury of renewing the large floating debt, now £70 millions larger than it was a year ago; it will cheapen the cost of carrying unsaleable commodities and relieve the pressure on embarrassed traders; it will enable companies to raise capital to pay off bankers' loans, and thus release credit for other purposes; it will tend to cause a withdrawal of money from deposit for re-investment in securities; it will tend to encourage foreign borrowing in this market, which will involve the buying of British goods; and it will assist the recovery in Gilt-edged Stocks. Thus it should help to dissolve the stagnation of trade, which has been gravely accentuated by the coal stoppage.

IRISH POLICY.

Lord Crewe, in a letter to *The Times* on the Irish situation, writes:—Are Ministers going to call the Dominion representatives into council on this subject? It has been authoritatively stated that the Irish question will be on the agenda of the Imperial Conference, not withdrawn from its purview. Cannot Ministers go further and appeal for the advice and support of Dominion statesmen? Some of these might hesitate to adjudicate, confronted, they themselves are, with a divided Irish element among their own people, but South Africa, in free possession of peace, and has passed through a moving experience of her own, containing not a few parallel features. It would be a boon to the Empire if the building of peace in Ireland could be entrusted to General Smuts and his colleagues, rather than to the present overburdened Cabinet at home, or to any Administration likely to be formed after a General Election.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

Stock markets opened rather firmer yesterday. *The Times*, the news of the unsolicited and successful application by Lloyd's to be allowed creating a good impression. When the unexpected announcement of a reduction in bank rate was made, prices of gilt-edged securities began to move upwards, and this had a beneficial effect in other directions, notably in the Oil market, as it was inferred that the Labour outlook was considered to be brighter. The tone generally of the Stock Exchange was accompanied by some increase in the volume of business. Oil shares showing more activity and the leading industrial shares closed firmer.

WELCOME HEATER CASE.

IRISH AGENT NON-SUITED.

The action by Mr. Max Cyril Morris, of Castlebellingham, Co. Louth, against the Welcome Heater Company (Ireland), now in liquidation, and two individual defendants connected with the company—William Henry Timpson and Frank Mackenzie—to recover £2,000 damages for libel, was heard yesterday by Mr. Justice Sargant in the Chancery Division, London. The plaintiff asked to set aside an agreement under which he became sole agent for the Welcome heater for the whole of the Irish Free State, and bought from the individual defendants 2,000 one shilling shares in the company at the price of £1 per share.

His Lordship said that there was no evidence of any statements to the plaintiff as to the qualities of the machine in question, other than the statements contained in two pamphlets. As to the statements in the letters and in the various demonstrations, he had come to the conclusion that the heater really was too complicated in action and adjustment to succeed in the position of a cheap domestic heater. His lordship was convinced that there was no fraud on their part at all. He was not entitled to rescind, and his lordship was extremely sorry that he was not able to make an order in favour of the sanguine temperament and not of any machinations or misstatements on the part of the defendants.

The action against the two individual defendants would be dismissed, with costs, and, as against the company, there would be a stay of proceedings, costs, the company not having put in a defence.

ANIMAL SUICIDE.

ALMOST UNKNOWN CRIME.

Deliberate suicide is very rare in the animal world, but suicide is a crime unknown says the *Sunday Times*).

It was for long believed by the natives of Ceylon that the scorpion, that dire creature, when driven into a corner from which there is no escape, will kill itself by driving its sting into its back. J. H. Fabre proved that this was not true.

Scorpions, like most creatures armed with poison glands, are now known to be immune to their own sting. They cannot even poison each other, although any animal of a different species is readily paralysed and killed. The native belief arose from careless observation of what happened when they tortured the hated insect by placing it in a circle of red-hot charcoals. The truth is that the scorpion is unspectedly and powerfully sensitive to great heat, which it endures with stoicism and insensible. Before succumbing it runs about, lashing its curval tail (which contains the sting) in a graceful position over its back, finally sinking down in a final effort to sting to death. After this no one takes the trouble to examine it before it is burnt, and so the story of its self-destruction has spread itself.

Another animal accused of suicide is the Norwegian lemming, on account of its extraordinary habit of migration, which frequently leads to shipwreck when they are seen in the sea. This mass movement, which occurs periodically, is probably a deeply inherited instinct, based upon the problem of population. At certain time the whole herd, numbering countless millions, descends from the mountains, and begins a march across the plains. They move westward, always westward, till they lie in the sea.

If a river bars their progress they will cross it, but if, as sometimes does happen, they reach the seashore while the irresistible impulse is on them, they will follow it blindly and so swim until they drown. But it is an outpouring of the desire to live, and is wholly unconnected with suicide. Innumerable misfortune will, of course, occur in the course of the march. Some observers have traced the arrival of the herd in their new dwelling place two years after their start, when probably only a remnant will survive to tell the tale.

AUSTRALIA'S EX-SERVICE MEN.

The Australian Government has issued an interesting report on the work of the Commonwealth Department of Repatriation in connection with the re-establishment in civil life of soldiers in civil life. Specially interesting is the account of the organisation which has been set up for training returned soldiers, and which the methods by which they are drafted into industrial life. At first the training was given in technical schools in different parts of Australia by arrangement with the State Education Departments, but as the training was extended and the numbers of those receiving it increased it was found necessary to establish special schools. Fifteen of these schools have been founded, embracing practically the whole range of trades in Australia, 170 in number. In order to facilitate the absorption of the men into factories and other industrial concerns, a Committee for each trade has been formed, consisting of two representatives of employers, two of employés, and one Government official, while in each State a Central Industrial Committee has also been organised. In this way a valuable spirit of co-operation has been engendered between the Department and the various Trade Unions, and little or no difficulty has been experienced in finding work for the men as they have completed their training.

THE GERMAN LABOUR SITUATION.

A LESSON TO BRITAIN.

HOW WORKERS TREAT THE EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

KRUPPS' GREAT ACTIVITY.

Mr. P. Harvey Middleton, Assistant Manager of the International Trade Service of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, has just returned from a tour of observation in Germany, during which he visited Berlin, the great industrial centres of Essen, Düsseldorf, Dortmund, and travelled through the agricultural districts between Berlin and the Dutch-German frontier. The following is an extract from his report:—

Travelling to Berlin from the Dutch border, by way of Osnabrück, Minden, Hanover, Lehrte, and Stendal, the whole route to the German capital seemed to be an unending panorama of waving grain. The crops are unusually far advanced. Rye and wheat crops are very promising, and the outlook for sugar beet is also very good. On this particular route one does not pass very many industrial districts, but wherever there was a chimney stack it was belching smoke.

In Berlin the hotels are crowded. There appears to be an ample supply of food of all kinds, and even fresh milk is now available for families with children; those without children are using tinned milk.

KRUPPS' ACTIVITY.

Through the courtesy of Mr. A. Dumming, Secretary of the American Association of Commerce and Trade in Berlin, I was able to visit Krupps' Works at Essen, and on June 16th was taken over the various workshops by Mr. Herman von Verschner. In the great locomotive shop heavy locomotives are being turned out complete at the rate of one a day. In another shop goods-waggons are manufactured at the rate of eight a day, and in another 5-ton motor lorries are being manufactured alongside of small motor scooters. Every part of the lorries is made in this shop, with the exception of the rubber tyres. The manufactures of Krupps' Works cover a surprisingly wide range. They include railway supplies of all kinds, machines for textile and paper industries, dredges, floating docks, pneumatic tools, surgical instruments, medical supplies, doors for safes, cash registers, and adding machines, apparatus for moving pictures, etc. They are also manufacturing machines for making artificial teeth, and in fact the artificial teeth themselves.

At Krupps' Germania Shipbuilding Plant, in Kiel-garden, they are building passenger and freight steamers. These Krupps works are turning out this large variety with the same workmen who made war munitions, and to-day they are actually employing more men in these works than they were during the war.

I also visited the Rhein Metall Fabrik, Düsseldorf. This plant had also re-adjusted its operations from a war to a peace basis, and is to-day one of the leading railway rolling stock industries of Germany. In less than a year they have turned out a thousand locomotives, a thousand goods-waggons, and their present monthly production is 50 locomotives and 300 freight cars. Like Krupps', this concern employs more men to-day than it did in 1914, and is executing a large volume of foreign orders.

THE GERMAN LABOUR SITUATION.

The eight-hour day introduced immediately after the revolution is working generally in force, but the introduction of piece-work on a larger scale than ever before has resulted in some cases in a 10, 12, and 14-hour day. The interest in a free trade union movement is waning, because when these meetings are called during working hours the men are unwilling to leave their work and thus decrease their earning power.

The retailer in Germany has not yet taken his losses in the general lowering of prices of manufactured articles, except in certain kinds of linen goods, and in boots and shoes.

DUBLIN PORT AND DOCKS BOARD.

CATTLE TRADE RESTRICTIONS.

At a meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board yesterday, Mr. G. Byrne, Chairman, presiding, a communication was read from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries relative to the Board's application for the abolition of importation into Great Britain of Irish store animals, and the restrictions at present in force in connection with the movement of animals in Ireland. It enclosed for the Board's information a copy of a question asked by Captain Redmond recently in the House of Commons.

A letter was also read in reference to the matter from Mr. William Field, in which he pointed out that as no further outbreak had been reported in Ireland since March last, nearly expired the Ministry of Agriculture could state definitely when the normal conditions governing the Irish live-stock would be restored, particularly regarding store cattle. Owners in Ireland were anxious to supply the requirements of Great Britain, and now that danger appeared to be over it was mutually advantageous to remove the restrictions.

Mr. Baird said this matter was of extreme importance to the Board, inasmuch as it meant a great loss of revenue to it, as the men employed in the trade was very considerable. What he did not like in the attitude of the Ministry was the suggestion that they were continuing to treat Ireland in a different manner to England, where, in the event of an outbreak, they isolated a certain area, and thus allowed trade to proceed normally. He wished to emphasise that, if a certain state of affairs existed relative to outbreaks of foot-and-mouth disease in England, a similar state of affairs should apply to Ireland. The Ministry of Agriculture appeared to be treating the Board's communications with very scant courtesy. The Board had written a letter communication on the 16th June was merely to forward a report of a question asked in the House of Commons on the 10th June.

It was eventually decided that the Secretary should again write to the Ministry of Agriculture pointing out that the Board was still awaiting a reply to its letter of the 16th June requesting that the unrestricted importation of properly-inspected store cattle from Ireland to be permitted, in view of the fact that no additional case of disease had occurred.

CATTLE IMPORTS INQUIRY.

After having been in the witness box for over seven hours, Mr. William Henderson, Coupar Angus, was yesterday further examined before the Departmental Committee on the Importation of Store Cattle.

He stated that if they had the two sources—Canada and Ireland—from where to draw stores, there would be a more regular supply. With the two sources they would still be at a disadvantage in selling the finished product in a market open to world-competition, because they could not produce a wholesome, which accused United Kingdom and Canada, whereas the fat cattle supply was drawn from an area which included the whole world. They were protected to the border only to a certain point, to the disadvantage of the arable land farmer. Arable land agriculture could not be continued without store animals to consume the food. If they prevented them from getting store animals, they were simply putting the arable farmer out of business. He disputed the statement that the breeder would suffer from the importation of Canadian stores.

Lord Morris, former Prime Minister of Newfoundland, spoke in favour of the importation of Canadian cattle, and said that he did so from the point of view of Empire development and Empire advantage. He could say that, generally speaking, and from any point of view, there would really be no danger from the importation of Canadian cattle.

Mr. A. Mansell, Chairman of the Central Livestock Committee, gave evidence in favour of the maintenance of the embargo, and said that the present shortage of cattle was a temporary one.

Ballie J. O'Booth, Aberdeen, said that Canadian cattle could be imported, would mean the depopulation of the Highland Glens of Scotland, where they found the finest fighting men that they had in the country. When the Canadian cattle were admitted, it almost paralysed the cattle trade, and the country was glad of any excuse to stop their introduction.

The Commission adjourned until to-morrow.

CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED MURDER.

At Bromley yesterday afternoon the four sons, William Adlestion, Dennis Tansley, Jeremiah Minihane, and William Arnold Bishop, were committed for trial, charged with attempting to murder two policemen, and with being found by night in possession of dangerous arms. It was stated that a shot aroused him in bed at a house at Greenwich on the morning after the shooting. Robinson said:—"I did not do it; I was shot in the hand. I threw my revolver away. You will find it in a field near by."

A policeman said that he found a five-chambered revolver in a hedge. The weapon was loaded in four chambers. Three of the bullets had their ends filed off, like dum-dum bullets, and would make terrible wounds.

All the accused pleaded not guilty.

The magistrate commended the two constables for their courageous action in stopping the motor car.

A Geneva telegram, dated Wednesday, states:—A Committee of the Young Egyptians Association has addressed to the Council of the League of Nations an appeal for the recognition of a question regarding the future status of Egypt.

THE KING AND HIS RECEPTION.

"IT WAS WONDERFUL."

LORD CURZON AND THE QUEEN.

The King and Queen arrived off Holyhead on the Royal yacht shortly after midnight on Wednesday night. At 9.40 yesterday morning Their Majesties landed at the Admiralty Pier and boarded the Royal train, which, five minutes later, left for London.

The King and Queen reached London yesterday afternoon from Belfast, arriving at Euston Station at half-past three.

The Prime Minister and Lord Curzon were among those who awaited Their Majesties' arrival.

On His Majesty's alighting, Mr. Lloyd George said—I congratulate you, sir, on your splendid reception in Belfast.

The King replied that it was wonderful, and added—

I have never experienced a more splendid reception in any part of my Empire."

Lord Curzon added his congratulations, and addressing the Queen, said—" Your Majesty has had a very fine time I understand, and you have the satisfaction of having rendered a very great public service."

The crowds enthusiastically cheered Their Majesties along the route to Buckingham Palace.

"STAMFORDHAM."

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S CONGRATULATIONS.

The Prime Minister has sent the following message of congratulation to the King and Queen on their return from Ireland:—

"I am confident that I can speak not only for the Government of the United Kingdom, but for the whole Empire, in offering Your Majesty and the Queen the hearty congratulations of all your loyal subjects on the success of your visit to Belfast. We have been deeply moved by the devotion and enthusiasm with which you were greeted, and our faith in the future is strengthened by the reception given to Your Majesty's words in inaugurating the Parliament of Northern Ireland. None but the King could have made that personal appeal; none but the King could have evoked so instantaneous a response. No effort shall be lacking on the part of your Ministers to bring Northern and Southern Ireland together in recognition of a common Irish responsibility, and I trust that from now onwards a new spirit of forbearance and accommodation may breathe upon the troubled waters of the Irish question. Your Majesty may rest assured of the deep gratitude of your peoples for this new act of Royal service to their ideals and interests."

THE KING'S REPLY.

EFFORTS FOR A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT.

His Majesty has sent the following reply:—

"The Queen and I have received with warm gratitude your message of congratulations upon the happy conclusion of our visit to Belfast. We are moved beyond expression, not only by the enthusiastic greeting given to us in Northern Ireland, but also by the general reception in all quarters of the words which I spoke, and spoke with all my heart. Those services to my people, to which you so generously refer in your message, will be more than amply rewarded if they assist in any way the efforts of my Government to bring about a lasting peace, differences standing between the Irish people, and that peaceful settlement for which the whole English-speaking world so earnestly looks."

THEIR MAJESTIES AND SOUTHERN LOYALISTS.

The following telegram, addressed to the Vice-Chairman of the Irish Unionist Alliance, has been received in reply to the message of welcome forwarded to Their Majesties in Belfast:—

"I am desired by the King and Queen to thank you and those associated with you for the loyal message which Their Majesties received in Belfast to-day."

"PRIVATE SECRETARY."

VISCOUNT LONG AND THE ULSTER PARLIAMENT.

Viscount Long of Wraxall deeply regrets that, acting under his doctor's orders, he was unable to accept the invitation with which he was honoured to attend the opening of the Northern Parliament of Ireland by His Majesty.

THE KING'S REPLY TO SIR JOHN SCOTT.

Sir John Scott, High Sheriff of Cork, received yesterday the following reply to his message to the King:—

"The King and Queen sincerely thank you and the many good citizens of Cork—men and women—for their loyal greetings on Their Majesties' coming to Ireland again. The King reciprocate your hope and prayer that a lasting peace and fellowship amongst all classes may be restored.

"STAMFORDHAM."

COURTMARTIAL RESULTS.

CONSTABLE SENTENCED FOR MANSLAUGHTER.

The following Courtsmartial results were issued yesterday:—

John O'Shea, Boherboe, Tralee, tried at Cork, and found not guilty and released. On 6th February, near Tralee, an ex-soldier was imprisoned in a house by civilians. He was, on the following day, brought from the house to the main road by four armed men, each of whom fired from a revolver and wounded him. The ex-soldier stated that the accused was one of the men. Accused, in his defence, declared that he had given evidence for the defence in the case of four men tried for the same offence on the 16th May, and on the day that he was committed he was burying his brother. He returned to his house at five o'clock, and did not leave it afterwards. He had served in the late war, and was wounded in the arm.

Matthew Dixon, Waterford, was, at Waterford, sentenced to one year's imprisonment with hard labour. On the 28th August, 1920, at Waterford, he "did" assault and rob of about eleven civilians, two of whom had revolvers. He identified the accused as one of the men. They detained him for three-quarters of an hour and then released him.

Thomas Brennan, Waterford, was, at Waterford, sentenced to one year's imprisonment with hard labour. When the house was searched on 1st June a letter addressed to an officer of the Irish Volunteers informing him that a Brigade Council meeting would be held on the following day was found in accused's pocket.

A REBELS' REFUGE.

Gregory Devereux, Ballyfinogue, Co. Wexford, was, at Waterford, sentenced to three years' penal servitude. On 16th May, when the house was raided, Thomas Cousins and James Barry, two men who were "on the run" (the former had escaped from military custody) were found in his house. In a wastecoat, which accused admitted belonged to him, a receipt for £20, headed "Govt. I. R.," was found.

John Joseph Hetherington, 17 O'Brien street, Waterford, was, at Waterford, sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour. In the possession of accused was found a copy of "An-t-Oglach," dated 6th May. He refused to recognise the Court.

Patrick Real, Michael Woods, Thomas Woods, and Edward Woods, of Hospital, Co. Limerick, were, at Limerick, each sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour. On 3rd May a party of police were proceeding in two motor tenders near Rathanny, Co. Limerick. Two trees were felled across the road. Men were seen running away. The police opened fire, gave chase, and captured the four accused.

Matthew Lennon, Dowdalstown, Dundalk, was at Belfast, sentenced to two years' imprisonment with hard labour. On 23rd April accused was "held up" whilst cycling at Dundalk. When asked who was the owner of the bicycle, he said it was his own property. He was taken to the barracks, when he admitted that he had stolen the machine from Patterson's yard. The owner of the bicycle identified it as being his property, and said he missed it from Patterson's yard at 2.30 p.m., where he had left it that morning.

Constable W. J. Wilten, R.I.C., was tried at the Curragh. The charge was that, at Maryborough, Queen's County, on 20th January, he did kill and murder Thomas Lawlon. He was found guilty of manslaughter, and sentenced to ten years' penal servitude.

Patrick Molloy, Murragh, Rahan, King's Co., was, at the Curragh, sentenced to two years' imprisonment, with hard labour, for having had four rounds of revolver ammunition in his possession.

ROBBERY AND ARSON UNDER ARMS.

Our Londonderry Correspondent telegraphed last night:—Sentence of penal servitude for life has been promulgated on Patrick Tully, Rosslea, who was tried by a Field General Courtsmartial at Derry on charges of riot, assault, robbery, arson, and with having arms. On the night of the 22nd March a number of armed and masked men raided a house in the Rosslea district, and, while accused was identified as the accused person was handed a rifle. The occupants of the house were taken outside, and the male members were blindfolded. The dwelling was then set on fire and destroyed. Shots were also fired. The prisoner was recognised by his voice.

SPINNING TRADE WAGES SETTLEMENT.

The Operative Cotton Spinners, representing about a 100,000 workpeople, at a meeting at Manchester yesterday unanimously decided to accept the employers' proposal for a settlement with the employers. Wages will fall 2s. 10d. in the £ at once, and after six months they will fall by a further 2s. 10d. All branches of the spinning trade have now acquiesced in the reducing affecting 200,000 people.

THE STATE AND HOSPITALS.

PROPOSED GRANT REDUCED BY HALF.

NO HELP FOR IRELAND.

Sir A. Mond, replying to Colonel Mildmay in the House of Commons yesterday, stated that the Government had decided, in view of the serious state of the voluntary hospitals, to ask the House to vote a supplementary estimate for £500,000 in aid of the deficit during the present year. The money would be under the control of a Commission and committee recommended by the Cave Committee, and he was taking immediate steps to appoint the Commission. In view of the serious financial position of the country, the Government had decided with regret that they could not give full effect to the recommendation of the Committee for a grant of a million. The Government confidently anticipated that, having done their part, voluntary effort would come forward and find the balance required, and thus maintain the root principle of the voluntary principle. A Commission, he commended by the Cave Committee, and he (Sir A. Mond) proposed that the Chairman should be the Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Health. Conditions would have to be attached. Need would have to be proved, and voluntary efforts would have to be made commensurate with the gift of the Government.

Captain Redmond—Will the Irish voluntary hospitals be included?

Dr. Murray—And the Scottish?

An Hon. Member—And the Welsh?

Sir A. Mond—The Committee's report includes the Scottish hospitals, and the Secretary for Scotland is empowered to place a representative on the Commission. I do not think that the Irish hospitals are included.

Mr. Devlin. Why not? Do they not do the same humane work?

Sir A. Mond—If the Irish people like to set up a Home Rule Parliament, they can vote what money they like.

Colonel Mildmay—Will the right hon. gentleman bear in mind that private contributions to hospitals are now greatly in excess of contributions before the war, in spite of the present difficult circumstances?

Sir P. Magnus—Will the proposed grant be conditional on a similar sum being obtained from voluntary sources?

Sir A. Mond—I have already indicated that I propose to draw up the full scheme in consultation with the Commission.

DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

REPORT OF BOARD OF SUPERINTENDENCE.

FINANCIAL POSITION CRITICAL.

The sixty-second annual report (for the year 1919-20) of the Board of Superintendence of the Dublin Hospitals was issued yesterday. The Board reports that as a result of its inspection it is satisfied that the hospitals mentioned in the report are conducted in an economical and thoroughly efficient manner, but it is greatly to be regretted that they are all in a more or less unsatisfactory financial condition. The specially unsatisfactory feature, over which the hospitals had no control, was the shortage of coal, which was acutely felt during the early spring weather.

The Westmorland Lock Hospital, the report states, is a very old building, and, therefore, labours under many disadvantages; notwithstanding, however, it is always thoroughly clean, and the Board had ample evidence that the patients are well fed, the food good, and the cooking excellent. The administration is admirably managed. The Board had been in correspondence with the Board of this hospital for some time with a view to their extending its usefulness, but owing to the refusal of one of the Governors, who initiated an extern department in April, 1919, which has already attained quite respectable proportions, as it shows an attendance of 1,000 patients in the year, it is to be feared

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

CLOSING PRICES.

Par Value	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Wed.	Tues.	Business Done H.	L.
100	U.S. New 4% Loan	101¼	101¼		
100	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	78¾	77¾		
100	Do. Preference	78¾	78¾		
100	Do. 4% Conv. Bonds	81	80¾		
50	Baltimore & Ohio	34½	33¾		
100	Do. Preferred	49¾	49¾		
100	Canadian Pacific	140	140		
25	Chesapke Ohio Can.	43	43¼		
100	Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	23¾	23		
100	Chicago & N.-West.	107¾	107¾		
100	Do. Pref.	93	92¾		
100	Erie 1st Preferred	29	28¾		
25	Do. 4% Conv. Bonds	45	45		
50	Gt. Northern Pref.	64	64¾		
100	Illinois Central	93¾	93¾		
50	Lehigh Valley	47¾	47¾		
100	Louisville & Nashville	107	107		
100	Mex. Nat. & Mex. Pref.	25¼	25¼		
100	Do. 2nd Pref. at 2%	23¾	23¾		
100	Missouri Pacific New	17¾	17¾		
100	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf	59	59		
100	Do. 2nd Pref.	37¾	37¾		
100	N.Y. Ch. & Hudson R.	65	65¼		
100	Norfolk & West. Com	90¾	90¾		
100	Northern Pacific Com.	73¾	73¾		
25	Ontario & Western	17	16¾		
100	Pennsylvania Shares	42¾	42¾		
100	Reading Shares	77¾	77¾		
100	Do. 1st Preferred	39	38¾		
100	Do. 2nd Pref.	42	41¾		
100	Southern Railway	18¾	17¾		
100	Southern Pacific	69	69		
100	Texas & Pacific	23¾	23¾		
100	Union Pacific	114¾	113		
100	Do. Preferred	80	79¾		
100	Wabash Common	9¾	9		
100	Do. Preferred A	19¾	19¾		
100	Amr. Smelt. Refin. Com.	43¾	43¾		
100	Anaconda Copper	33¾	33		
100	Int. Mer. Marine	114¾	113¾		
100	N.Y. Cons. Gas	87	87		
100	Pacific Mail	23¾	23¾		
100	U.S. Steel Common	71¾	70¾		
100	Do. 1st Preferred	106	106		
100	Do. 2nd Preferred	96	96		
	Silver, Foreign Bond	38¾	38¾		
	Do. (U.S. Mined) Bar	59¾	59¾		
14	Inter. M.M.Con.Ctf.	10¾	10¾		
62½	Do. Prefd. Certs.	47¾	46¾		
100	Mexican Petroleum	97	96		
100	Do. Preferred	107	107		
10	Shell Transport	39¾	40¾		
147	Mexican Petroleum	109	110		
100	Do. Preferred Ctf.	96	96½		
10	General Motors	10	9¾		
50	U.S. Rubber	56½	52		

* Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Ex rights.

	Wednesday.	Thursday.
Call Money	4½% to	4½% to
3 m. on Local 6.00 days' sight	3.70.99	3.68.87½
3 m. on Local 6. Demand Bills	3.72.00	3.73.37½
Cable Transfer	3.73.75	3.74.17½
Bert Wilson	4.77.00	4.77.50
Nelson, Hodding, Upland	11.20	11.00
Do. New Orleans, Moore	10.35	10.35
Canton Insd Oil, P. Summer	2.40	2.40
Yukon Stds	7.40	7.30
Colleen Bawn Oil, Verner, Joly	7.40	7.30
Petroleum, Belmont, in cases	18.00	18.00
Do. Standard, Wilson	11.90	11.90
Do. Philadelph., Mon. Oil	15.80	13.00
Do. Pennsylvania, Crude	2.50	2.50
Spirits of Turpentine	59	56
Do. Savannah	50½	51
Rosin, Strained	6.05	6.05
Do. Grade F	3.62½	3.70
Lard, Prime Western Steam	10.87½	9.92½
Do. Midland Steam	10.35—45	10.45—55
Tallow, Special	5.00	5.00
Seeds, Linseed, Calcutta	4.00	4.00
Corn, Western, No. 2 Mixed	78¾	78¾
Do. No. 2 Red Winter	109½	107
Do. No. 2 Mixed Steam	167	158
Do. No. 2 Mixed Durum	155⅝	156
Cotton, Mid. Upl.	6¾	6¾
Flour, Spring Clears	7.25—8.00	7.25—7.75
Flour, No. 2 North'n Foundry	13.00	13.00
Flour, Winter Clears	7.75	7.75
Corn Beef, Indian, Mess	24.00	24.00
Do. Extra India Mess	26.00	26.00
Beef, Extra India Mess	160	160
Pork, Prime Mess, Western	82.50	82.50
Do. Clear Belly	82	82
Do. Family Mess	90	90
Do. Short Clear Backs	82	82
Butter, Western Creamery	43	43
Do. Factory	39	39
Cheese, American Finest	23	23
Do. Colored	23	23
Do. White	23	23
Eggs, Fresh	20	20
Coffee, Rio No. 7 Spot	9¾	9¾
Do. No. 4 Spot	11¾	11¾
Do. Santos No. 4 Spot	13¾	13¾
Sugar, Centrifugal, 96 Test	4.16	4.16
Do. Muscovado, 89 Test	3.91	3.91
Do. Granulated	5.25	5.25
Molasses, Fair Refining	3.20	3.20
Do. Centrifugal, 96 Test	3.45	3.45
Wheat, No. 2 Red Winter	1.49	1.49
Do. No. 2 Hard Winter	1.49	1.49
Do. No. 1 Northern Spring	1.49	1.49
Corn, No. 2 Mixed	78¾	78¾
Oats, No. 2 White	43¾	43¾
Rye, No. 2 Western	1.07	1.07
Barley, Malting	1.00	1.00
Timothy Seed, Prime	4.75	4.75
Clover Seed, Prime	14.00	14.00
Lard, Prime City	10.00	10.00
Hops, State, 1920 Crop	30	30
Do. Pacific Coast	30	30
Wool, Domestic Fleece	60	60
Do. Pulled	70	70
Do. Texas	50	50
Hides, Packer, Native	14	14
Do. Packer, Branded	13	13
Do. Packer, Butt	14	14
Do. Packer, Colorado	13	13
Do. Salted Kip	14	14
Do. Salted Calf	18	18
Do. Salted Veal	18	18
Do. Salted Deacon	18	18
Do. Salted Horse	6.00	6.00
Do. Salted Colt	6.00	6.00
Do. Salted Pony	6.00	6.00
Do. Salted Slunk	1.00	1.00
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BABY'S SIX-COURSE DINNER.

At the Royal Sanitary Institute Congress, Folkestone, yesterday, Dr. Vynne Borland, Assistant Medical Officer of Health, Leeds, said they be remembered a case where a child of eight months was given a six-course dinner at a wedding. Immediate result was disastrous, but the child recovered. Another doctor said that he knew a baby who emptied a tin of lobster, and never locked behind him afterwards. A great deal depended on the baby.

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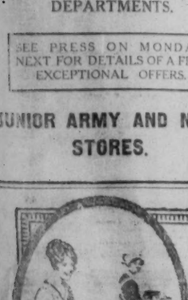

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LAW REPORTS.

ACTION AGAINST THE NATIONAL BANK.

At Nisi Prius yesterday, before the Lord Chief Justice and a city special jury, the case of Peter G. Wheatley against the National Bank came on for hearing. There was a previous trial, but the jury were unable to agree on a verdict. The plaintiff, an ex-officer of the Army, resides at Birr, and his case was that on the 30th November last he lodged £56 to his credit in the Birr branch of the bank. This sum would put his current account in credit, but he found some days afterwards that he returned home from Dublin that cheques which he had issued were returned unpaid. He then made inquiries at the bank, and he was met with a denial of his assertion that he had lodged the £56. When he lodged the money he gave in a docket showing the amount, but he got no receipt, and the custom was that none was given unless it was asked for. There was no imputation upon the bank, said counsel (Mr. Healy) in opening the case on behalf of Mr. Wheatley, a mistake had been made. The National Bank was an institution of which we were all proud. Its directors were men of eminence in the commercial world, and its officials were respected by everyone. He thought that they would have done well not to fight this case. The plaintiff was a mere youth, so that the contest was one, so to speak, between David and Goliath.

The plaintiff gave evidence to the effect that he had sold a motor car the day before he lodged the money, for £100. He gave back £2 as "luck money" to the buyer, Mr. Smyth, kept £3 for himself, and lodged £95 in the bank on the next day.

Mr. Finlay, a clerk in the Provincial Bank, Birr, in his evidence stated that he happened to be at the counter in the National Bank one day at the end of November last, when he saw Mr. Wheatley hand a bundle of bank notes with the dockets on top, to Mr. Hornack, the teller.

Mr. Wight, manager of the Birr branch, was examined, and he detailed an interview which he had with Mr. Wheatley, when he told Mr. Wheatley that he could find no entry of the lodgment of £95 in the books. Mr. Wheatley went away, apparently resigned to his loss.

The case had not concluded at the rising of the Court.

Mr. Healy, K.C.; Mr. S. Moore, K.C.; and Mr. K. Kennedy (instructed by Mr. P. V. Loughrey) appeared for the plaintiff. Mr. Herbert Wilson, K.C.; Mr. Swayne, K.C.; and Mr. Shannon (instructed by Mr. W. H. Dunne) appeared for the bank.

SEQUEL TO DUBLIN MOTOR ACCIDENT.—In the King's Bench Division, before Mr. Justice Gordon, in the action in which Mrs. Julia O'Loughlin was plaintiff and Mr. Martin Fitzgerald, wine merchant, Dublin, was defendant, Mr. H. J. Moloney (instructed by Messrs. Mitcy and Mitcy) for the defendant, applied for a stay of execution. The action was brought by the plaintiff on behalf of herself and her children, under Lord Campbell's Act, for the death of her husband, and was tried before Mr. Justice Dodd and a jury. The plaintiff's case, counsel said, was that the deceased had been knocked down by a motor car and received injuries, as a result of which he died three or four months later. There was a question as to whether there was negligence or not. The defendant asked for a stay of execution on the condition that the £2,000 brought £2500 into court. The Accountant-General would, he said, deposit the money in his own name, to abide the result of the new trial motion. Mr. Moonan (instructed by Mr. John Moran) appeared for the plaintiff.

THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Friday, June 24th 1921.

H.M. COURT OF APPEAL IN IRELAND.—To be Mentioned. Final Appeal—The Alex (Swaney) v. Receiver of Dublin, K.B.D. For Hearing. Interlocutory Appeals—Rowney v. Cunningham, K.B.D., 9 days; seal v. Quinn, K.B.D. Final Appeal—Cooper v. General Accident, Fire and Life Assce. Corpn., Ltd., K.B.D.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—CHANCERY DIVISION. LORD CHANCELLOR. In Lunacy. Before Mr. Justice Ronan. Motions. Exas. McCoy. Before the Lord Chancellor's Chambers. Before the Chief Clerk. 11.30—Ire, a minor; Bowe, minors. Before Mr. Murphy. Motions. Exas. Hudson & Co.

ROLLS.—Action—Keane v. Traper et beating; Brandon v. Brandon; Cahill v. Cahill. Before the Rolls Chambers, 11—C Mathews, Jeod., Keenan v. M'Cann; sum. and. reports v. Looby; R. M. Crawford, deed., Crosbie v. Booth.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kinkaid, 11—Cullan R. U. Council, to Mention; M. Hilary, his King v. Justices County Tyrone, J. Skeffington, Esq., Chairman—Bond, Esq., Clerk of the Peace, Omagh, Motions—Kelly, Mathews, Ormsby and Frenches, Master Deasley, 11—Keating Mannix, Keating and Keating. Master Macnamara, 11—Re Taxations—A person of unsound mind, G.S., Holmes, Hingerford and Gordon; a person of unsound mind, G.S., R. White; Ferguson v. Ireland, W. K. Gibson, Richmond Asylum, Dublin, to Continue. Master Wakely, 11—Re Farrow, Little, Doyle and Woods; O'Connor v. Tunstal, Adherence, Little, Doyle and Woods.

KING'S INNES.—Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Ronan. 11. To be Mentioned. To fix date of Hearing—Smith v. Fisher Yass. Courts—Flagging ... Laughlin v. Irish Land Commission. Land Purchase Acts. Chancery—Burns and Oldfield, 1919, 1197; Allocate Marquis of Downshire (E.C. 4197), do.; do. (E.C. 4796), do. James Cleland (E.C. 6547), do. Court of Major H. J. Thrusby (E.C. 7121), final schedule; John Fitzgerald and ors., do. Action—Hoolin v. Walker, Mosley, Jun. Action—Gibson v. Baddiffe. Thursday, 28th Jun. Action—Gibson v. Baddiffe. Thursday, 30th Jun. Examiner's Office, Four Courts, Dublin, touch—W. M'M. Kavanagh, settle schedule.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION—In Court 2, 11. Civil side. Exparte Motions. Application for grant of Chats v. Lacy. Attendance Order—Cranev v. Smith, Barrington and Walsh v. Fitzgerald. Motions. Exparte Motions. Civil side. Motions on Notice—Markham, Sons and Co., Ltd., v. Kingston; same v. same. M'Neill v. Wallace; Wallace v. Clyde Shipbuilding Co., Ltd.; Cochrane and anor. v. M'Cabe. Sittings during Long Vacation—By the Right Hon. the Master of the Rolls will sit on Tuesday, 5th July, and each succeeding Tuesday during the Circuits in his own Court to hear such applications for this Division as may require to be immediately or promptly heard.

PROBATE AND MATRIMONIAL.—Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Dodd, in the Probate Court, 11. Motions Exas.—Re Lee, deed.; Re Jones, deed.; Re Jones, deed.; do., Henry Moran, deed.; do., P. J. M. Davis, deed.; Hughes and anor. v. Hughes; Hughes v. Gray, deed.; do., Thomas Scully, deed.; do., Peter Smart, deed.; do., John Mahon, deed. Motions—Notice—In the goods of Chas. Connery, deed.; do., Patrick Walsh, deed.; do., John M'Mahon, deed. Matrimonial Summons—O'Neill v. O'Neill. Motions—Notice—Johnston v. Johnston; same v. same; O'Connell v. O'Connell.

TRINITY SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—King's Bench Division, before the Right Hon. Hugh Lord Chief Justice of Ireland, in Nisi Prius Court No. 1, on the City Side. Hearings—Wheatley v. National Bank (appropriation); National Bank v. Wheatley (money due). The City Judge's Juries sworn in the above case at hearing are required to attend for sittings in Nisi Prius Court No. 2 at 11. Before the Right Hon. Lord Justice Dodd, in Nisi Prius Court No. 2, at 12. Non-Juries—Lequen Sparling Flags, Ltd., v. Messrs. Mitcy and Mitcy; for trial. Before Mr. Justice Russell and ors. v. Jones (breach of contract). Before the Right Hon. Lord Chief Justice of Ireland, in Nisi Prius Court No. 1, at 11. For Judgment—Reade v. Royal Bank of Ireland; Reade v. Royal Bank of Ireland (Settlement); Archer v. Ross and Co., Dublin (undertaking goods sold); Brady v. Greene (work done). Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Ronan, in Nisi Prius Court No. 1, at 11. Non-Juries—Fitzpatrick v. Great Southern and Western Railway Company; Mc Kenna v. Mc Kenna (breach of contract); Moore, Ltd., v. Vaughan (goods sold and delivered); Hughes v. Hughes and Wilby, Co. (breach of contract). The parties in the above "Non-Jury" cases should be prepared to go on in any of the above Courts. The nearest City Special and Common Juries will attend (sit) Monday next.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Pim, at 11—Arcangelo Chesso and Kate Dobbyn and M'Coy, John Morna, Reddy and Son, Thompson and M'Neill (Ltd.), Mr. Phillip Smith, Ireland, Mr. Patrick Reddy, deceased, Mr. Edward Hennessy, deceased, Mr. Thomas Scully, deceased, Mr. Peter Smart, deceased, Mr. John Mahon, deceased, Mr. John Mahon, deceased, Mr. John M'Mahon, deceased, Mr. Thomas Scully, deceased, Mr. Peter Smart

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Odd lot Crepe de Chine Blouses and Jumpers, slightly shop soiled and some faded. Real Sale bargains. Usual prices from 29/11 to 49/11. Clearing at 19/11 and 19/11.

5 Dozen (only) Striped Voile Blouses, roll collar and reversed, fastened with large pearl button, following stripes—Black, Mauve, Pink, Sky, and Navy. Usual price, 19/11. Sale price, 9/11.

1 Dozen Voile Blouses, finished with Paisley and Spot and piping at neck and sleeves. Usual price, 10/11. Sale price, 7/11.

Odd lot (80 only) of White Voile, Crepe Georgette, and Beaguline Blouses, all slightly soiled. Bargain value, 4/11.

1 Dozen White Voile Blouses and Jumpers, embroidered and lace trimmed. Usual prices, 10/11 and 25/11. Clearing at 12/11.

1 Dozen Voile Blouses, with round neck and short sleeves, lace-trimmed and embroidered. Usual price, 4/9. Sale price, 6/11.

1 Dozen White Voile Blouses and Jumpers, embroidered and spots, all beautifully tailored. Usual price, 9/11. Sale price, 6/11.

1 Dozen Model Blouses and Jumpers in Crepe de Chine and Silk Georgette, latest styles and beautifully trimmed. Clearing at 29/11 and 39/11.

1 Dozen (only) heavy Voile Silk Jumpers, trimmed Torchon lace. Usual price, 14/11. Sale value, 9/11.

BARGAINS—JUMPERS AND GOLFERS.

Some Knitted Jumpers, in wool, very suitable for tennis, etc. Wonderful value, 5/11.

Knitted Coats, in large assortment of colours. Were 21/11. Clearing at 10/11.

Knitted Spencers and Jumpers. Wonderful value, 3/11.

Knitted Spencers, all colours. Were 13/11 and 10/11. Clearing at 5/11.

Jap silk, slightly soiled and shop worn, in Sunbeam shades. Clearing at 1/11.

Jap Dressing Gowns (cotton). Some choice floral designs. Wonderful value for 8/11.

Dressing Jackets, similar style, from 5/11.

Corsets—Wonderful collection from manufacturer, various styles. Clearing at 5/11, 7/11, 9/11, 10/11, 12/11, 15/11, and 19/11.

Odd lot Corsets, slightly soiled. All grades reduced.

Lady's Chemise Vest, in fine rib. Usual price, 2/11. Bargain value, 1/11½.

Fine Rib Combinations, Swiss make. Usual price, 5/11. Wonderful value, 3/11½.

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Wing Fabric or Cambric, 45 inches wide (unbleached). Suitable for Pillow or Bolster Cases. Worth 2/11. Sale price, 2/-.

Unbleached Aero Cloth, 44 inches wide, very suitable for Sheets, Dust Covers, etc. Worth 2/6 yard. Sale price, 2/3 yard.

3,000 Yards All Wool Scotch Cheviot Tweed, in variety of checks, 54 inches wide, limited number of colours. Sold last year at 12/6. Sale price, 2/11.

Fine Quality Khaki French Government Silks, in variety of printed and self colours, 27 inches wide. 2/- yard. Worth 2/6.

Odd Damask Table Cloths, various sizes, and shop soiled. Selling at half-price.

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30 Dozen Ladies' Cotton Hose, in black and Tussore, seamless and extra spliced. Usual price, 2/6. Now 1/9 pair.

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Ladies' Cashmere Hose, seamless, spliced heels and toes, in all colours. Usually 4/11. Sale price, 2/6.

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Ladies' Art Silk Hose, full fashioned, superior quality, in variety of shades, Black, White, Grey, and Saxe. Usual price, 6/11. Sale price, 3/11.

Ladies' Lastre Lisle Hose, ribbed, very suitable for sports and country wear, in Tan, Toney, Navy, Grey, and Mole. Usually 6/11. Clearing at 4/6.

Ladies' Hand Mirrors, Oval and Round, Black, White, and Tortoiseshell, from 1/11.

Value in Frocks

Fancy Tweed Costumes. Usual price, 5 guineas. Sale value, 29/11.

Effective Navy and Brown Stripe Costumes. Usually selling at 4½ guineas. Clearing at 79/6.

Dainty Coloured Check Voile Frocks. Usually sold 19/11. Clearing at 15/11.

Tub Frocks, in large variety of colours, also White Tique. Usually 19/11. Sale price, 15/11.

Washable and Stonge Cloth Frocks, in variety of coloured stripes. Wonderful value, 25/11.

Knitted Wool Frocks, in fine shilling, striped. Usual price, 2½ guineas. Clearing, 39/11.

Large variety of Waterproof Coats and Capes from 29/11. Usual price, 49/-.

Smart lot of Knitted Sports Frocks, coat and skirt to match, from 2 guineas each.

LINGERIE AND UNDERCLOTHING BARGAINS.

Beautiful Nainsook Camisoles, neatly trimmed embroidery. Usual price, 5/11. Sale value, 2/6.

Odd lot Bondoir Caps, assorted styles and materials. Wonderful value, 4/11. Sale price, 1/11½.

Beautiful Long-cloth Nightdresses, neck trimmed Torchon lace. Worth 7/11. Bargain value, 4/11½.

Job lot White Washing Underskirts, all slightly soiled or crushed, trimmed embroidery. Usual prices, 4/11 to 7/11. Clearing at 2/6 and 3/11½.

Special lot of Coloured Underskirts, in Black, Navy, Tan, Nigger, Grey, and Putty Usual value, 2/6. Bargain value, 2/6.

Ladies' Large Coloured Handkerchiefs, suitable for Tennis, Bathing, etc., in Cotton, from 10½d. each. Similar style in Silk, in Paisley design and spots, from 4/11.

Cloth Scarves, 2 yards long and 27 inches wide, suitable for making skirts. Sold last season, 2/6/11.

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All Model millinery clearing at half-prices.

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HANDKERCHIEFS AND SCARVES.

Ladies' Muslin and Cambric Handkerchiefs, slightly soiled and tossed. Regular price, 9d. and 3/- each. Clearing at 4/6 dozen.

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Ladies' Hand Mirrors, Oval and Round, Black, White, and Tortoiseshell, from 1/11.

MISCELLANEOUS BARGAINS.

Heavy Plate Mirrors, with polished bevel edge, set on oak stand, 4/11 each.

Dress Shields, Caufield's Snowette. Usual price, 2/6. Sale price, 1/6½.

Black and White Striped Shoe Laces, 1/9½ pair; 6 Pairs for 9/11.

Ladies' Shoe Trees. Wonderful value, 6½d. pair.

Leather Purses, all colours, from 1/- each. Worth double.

Children's Sunshades, beautiful colours. Reduced to 4/11.

Ladies' Cretonne covered Parasols, also self colours, from 4/6 each.

Ladies' Artificial Silk Scarves, self colours, limited quantity only, 2/11 each.

Dressing Combs, in Black and White, also Imitation Tortoiseshell, 1/- each. Worth double.

Ladies' Real Whalebone Hair Brushes. Wonderful value. Worth 7/6. Clearing at 4/6.

Ladies' Hand Mirrors, Oval and Round, Black, White, and Tortoiseshell, from 1/11.

CLOVE BARGAINS.

1 Dozen Mercerised Knit Gloves, in White only. Wonderful value, 1/- pair.

Large assortment Ornamental Gloves, in Black, Brown, Cream, and Grey. Usual price, Clearing at 3/11

Dents Hand-knit Mercerised Gloves, in White, Black, Twine, Usual price, 4/6. Now clearing at 3/9.

Dents (only) Ladies' Real Grown Pontt's Kid Gloves, in Brown only, 2-button fastener. Usual price, 7/11. Sale price, 6/6.

Dents' Brown Deerskin Gloves, with 2 buttons. Usually, 9/11. Clearing at 6/6 pair.

HOUSEHOLD LINEN BARGAINS.

700 Yards Bleached Cotton Sheets, splendid wearing material, 2 yds. by 2½. Usual price, 4/6. Sale price, 12/6.

Towelling, strong 16" wide. Usual price, 1/9. Sale price, 1/-.

Good Plain Hemmed Cotton Pillowcases. Original price, 2/6. Sale price, 1/6.

White Cotton Laundry Sale price, 1/-.

Embroidered Muslin Covers, scalloped edges. Original price, 1/-. Sale price, 1/-.

1 Dozen odd Kitchen Aprons and Overalls. Sale price, 6½d.

Hemstitched and Embroidered Crash Chair Covers. Regular value, 2/6. Sale price, 1/6.

Coloured Grecian Bordering, 9d. size. Original price, 1/-. Sale price, 6d.

White Turkish Towels, very superior quality. Useful size. Usually sold 3/11. Sale price, 2/6.

Pairs Half-bleached Linen Sheets, hemstitched, good large Original price, 30/-. Sale price, 19/6.

Linen Printed Tea Cloths, assorted colours. Reduced to 4/11.

Linen Finished Glass Cloths, in Grenadine stripe, slightly soiled or crushed in folding. Clearing at 2/11.

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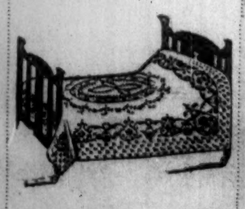

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Notice is hereby given that the Books in which Transfers of the ORDINARY STOCK AND THE CONSOLIDATED 4 PER CENT. PREFERENCE STOCK are registered will be closed from Thursday, the 7th day of July, to Saturday, the 6th day of August, 1921, both days inclusive.

J. B. STEPHENS, Secretary.

Amiens street Station, DUBLIN, 23rd June 1921.

INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW.

At Olympia, London, yesterday, in the class for hunters, Northants, belonging to Mrs. Gustave Magniac, Newbridge, Co. Kildare, was sold.

FINANCIAL NEWS

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

BANK RATE REDUCED. MARCONIS AND DUNLOPS WEAKER. NORTHERN RAILS GOOD. DUBLIN TRAMS WANTED.

The Bank of England rate was reduced yesterday by 1 to 6 p.c., and the Bank of Ireland rate was lowered from 7 p.c., fixed 29th April last, to 6½ p.c., while the deposit rate, which has stood at 5½ p.c. since 29th April, 1920, was lowered to 5 p.c.

The further reduction in the official Bank rates of discount made little or no difference to the trend of Stock Exchange Securities, which continue to fluctuate irregularly within moderate limits. A couple of big downward movements are shown in Railway Pro-Ord. Stocks, not dealt in for years, but as the Stocks have been offered for a long time without official mention of the fact, the decline belongs to the past rather than to the present. Dublin United Tram issues were again a little firmer. Drapery Shares remain sellers, with leading Ordinary Shares offered generally about par. Manufacturing Shares were a trifle irregular owing to paucity of orders in hand. Hibernian Fire Insurance Shares further declined. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were busy just under and at 10s. Tobaccos were easy, and Oils steady.

In the Funds, Consols fell ⅛ to 45¾. War Loan 5 p.c. opened ⅛ lower, but closed unchanged at 97½. Funding Loan fell ¼ to 71½, and Irish Land 3 p.c. ½ to 51½.

Banks were quiet, Bank of Ireland Stock fell ½ to 185¾. Munsters closed buyers again at 53, and Provincial Old repeated 19½.

Among Breweries and Distilleries, Guinness' Prefd. rallied ¼ to 94½, while the Ord. repeated 33½. Dublin Distillers Ord. 42s. 6d., and John Jameson Debs. 5½ bid, and John Power and Son Pref. again closed firm at 20s. 21s. nominally.

Marconi Ord. were weak, and fell 3s. further to 42s. 6d., 42s. Radio Corporation quoted 8s. 6d., and the Prefd. 9s. 6d.

Home Rails were under some notice. Great Northern rose ¼ to 56, and Dublin and South Eastern Pref. ¼ to 34, while Great Southern rose 1¼ to 68. Cork and Bandon West Cork 4 p.c. Pref. fell from 57, last official price, to 32, and the 5½ p.c. Guaranteed Stock from 70 to 50.

In Tramways, Dublin United issues were in better request. The Ord. rose ¼ to 5¼, and the "B" 5½ p.c. Debs. ¼ to 54.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell to 9s. 10½d., and rallied to 10s. Parent Tyre Ord. were called 14s. 15s., the Pref. 17s. 6d. 18s., and the Def. 31s. 6d. 33s., all unofficially.

Drapery shares were sellers, but actual dealing was confined to some odd lots of McBirneys at 70s., and Webbs at 12s., the previous prices.

Among Manufacturing shares, Coats Ord. fell 7½d to 46s. 9d., but the "B" Pref. rose 10d. to 20s. Spinners were 1½d. better at 35s. Gouldings closed ¼ lower at 5¼, ¼ nominally. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. rose 1½d. to 25s. 4½d.

Hibernian Fire Insurance were 5½ lower at 3s. 4½d. for the 4s. paid shares. Imperial Tobacco opened nearly ⅛ lower at 47s. 1½d., but later price rallied to 47s. 4½d., and subsequently to 47s. 7½d. buyers. Eagle Oil repeated 5½, and Shells closed ⅛ harder at 5¼ 5⅜.

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount (changed 23rd June) ... 6½ p.c.
Deposit (changed 23rd June) ... 3 p.c.

BUSINESS DONE.

Consols ..... (45-⅛) 45⅛ | G.N. Ord. 54½ 55
5% War Loan (97½) 97½ | G.S.W. Ord. ..... (42) 45
5½ War Bonds, 1928. 95½ | West Cork Pref. 32
5½ Exch. Bonds, ... 99¼ | Bandon 5½ Guar. 50
War Bonds, 1928. 95½ | D.S.E. Pref. ..... (35¼) 34
Cape 4½ 1888 ..... 93½ | Dublin Tramways 5¼
3½ Land Act. ..... (51¾) 51¾ | Do. B Deb. ..... (53¼) 54
Bank of Ireland ..... (194½) 560 | M'Birney ..... (70-) 70-72
Do. ..... (192½) *193 | Dunlop ..... (10) 9 10½
Nat. & Lein. ..... (59½) 59½ | Do. 5 Pref. 19½
Do. ..... (59½) 59½ | Fine Spin. ..... (34-10d) 35
Provincial ..... (19½) 19½ | Gousting ..... (5½) 5¾
Hib. Bank ..... (42½) 42½ | Do. Pref. ..... (10-3) 15¼
Guinness ..... (56½) 58½ | Hibernian Fire ..... (5/10) 3/4
Do. ..... (56½) 58½ | Do. ..... (5/10) 3/4
Jameson Deb. ..... (94½) 95½ | Dunlops (10/6) (10/) 10/3
Power Pref. 20/- 21/-
Prefd. Ord. 42/6 6/-
Radio Corp. Cons. 8/6
Do. Pref. 9/6
..... 10/-

(*Last business done given in parentheses.)

BELFAST.

The Exchange was moderately active. War Loan was dealt in at 97½, and Registered brought 87½. Provincial Bank repeated 19½. Railway and Corporation Stocks were idle. Coats 5s. lower at 46s. 6d. York Street Flax Spinning Pref. fell 7½. British-American Tobacco Company Ord. declined 1s. to 65s.; Imperial Tobacco Company 1s. 3d. lower at 47s. Dunlop Rubber brought only 10s., and a small lot 10s. 1½d. Burmah Oil, 6¾; Shell Transports, 5⅛.

STOCKS SLIGHTLY IMPROVED.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

As anticipated in this column, a reduction in the bank rate of 6 p.c. was announced yesterday. Government Stocks and other gilt-edged investments being quick to respond, with the result that the gilt-edged market closed firm on the day. In the Stock Exchange itself it is certain well-informed sections of the Stock Exchange that the bank rate would be lowered, it was evident that markets generally were taken by surprise, some dealers, particularly in the more speculative sections, who were bearers of stock, being caught napping. The general result of the news was to cause a much better tendency, which would have had more far-reaching effects but for the continued dark outlook in the industrial world. It is anticipated, however, that, with the automatic reduction of the bank deposit rate to 4 p.c., a considerable amount of money will find its way into the Stock Market, so that the investment sections should benefit. Home Rails were still under the influence of the coal strike, and very little business was done in them.

LONDON STOCKS FIRMER.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

On the London Stock Exchange the markets were affected by changes in the bank rate. Prices already begin to show signs of recovery, and in them were many rises in the investment group. The 5 per cent. War Loan, which opened at 97½, closed ¼ higher at 97¾. Consols rose ¼ to 46, and Victory Bonds at 77⅛ were ¼ higher. Funding Loan was up to 71¾. Several of the National War Bonds were higher, and Exchequer 5½ 1929-42 rose up to par. The Conversion Loan had a jump to 62⅛ pm. The new Corporation stocks were good. The Railway issues rose 1 pm. Derby 4s. 1½ pm., Sheffield 4, Glasgow 1 pm., and Newport to ¼. South Australia and Tasmania also hardened, the former to 1¼ discount and the latter to ¼. Practically the whole group improved. India Scrip was up to 2½ pm.

Among Foreign Government securities, there was no material improvement in Mexican Bonds, the 5 per cents being 50¾ and Irrigations 40. Brazilian Bonds were heavy. Cuba Bonds fell to 103½, but Japanese Fives of 1907 were 1 up at 78. There was a rise of ¼ in Chinese 1898 at 70½.

Home Rails were uninfluenced by the lower bank rate, the coal strike still overshadowing the market. The Heavy lines, as a rule, were a shade lower. North-Westerns were 69¾, North-Easterns 71¼, Great Westerns 64¼, and Midlands 42¾. Brighton "A" was still called 40, and Dover "A" was lower at 21.

Canadas were unchanged at 139. Grand Trunk Pacific 4 per cents, Debs. were again lower at 48. Antofagastas were dull at 51. Argentine Rails were neglected and without material alteration, but the 4 per cent. Deb. stocks were about a point down. Rents Rios receded to 15.

INDUSTRIALS UNINTERESTING.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Under the cloud of Labour troubles the Miscellaneous and Industrial market as a whole failed to evince much tangible evidence of betterment on the announcement of the further step to a cheaper money period. A few speculative leaders responded with small advances, and country inquiries, combined with covering by professionals in London, were effective in giving a semblance of colour to later dealings. Recent small sellers also appeared to have held their hand, while, however, the public generally continued to exhibit an uninteresting appearance. While a slightly better tone prevailed in the Iron and Steel department, country support having an influence, the volume of business was still miserably small, and prices were mostly unchanged. Vickers, however, spurted to 18s. bid, which was also the quotation for the Tai Tze Preference and Armstrongs were quite steady at 16s. 6d. Guest Keen eased again to 29s. 9d., Johnsons and Phillips Debs. were on offer, finishing up at 7 discount, having been the dealt in for the first time the previous day at 5 discount. Among Shipping securities there were no movements of importance, and Insurances, though steady, failed to rally. Breweries were a slightly better market among Bank shares at 47s. M. Among other home institutions, L.C.W. and Parrs put on ¼ to 1¼, and National and Provincial declined 6d., but the Overseas list, Chartered of India eased to 13⅛. The reduction in the dividend to 5 per cent. caused a decline of 1s. 3d. in Bell Brothers to 11s., and a further falling off was also seen in Imperial Tobacco of Canada at 19s. 6d. x.d. on the rumoured new issue, but B.A.T. harmonised to 5s. 3d. Rubber Shares were steady at 9s. 6d. Among miscellaneous descriptions dealings were slightly more frequent in Dunlops, the price hardening to 10s. 1½d. De Trove were a better market at 2s. 6d. x.d. and Gaspets were a shade better at 23s. Cements at 19s. 6d. were unchanged, having failed to maintain an early pace. Salt Union also eased to 13s. and United Cold Storage Pref. eased to 16s. 6d. In West African descriptions, Lever Debs. were rather healthier at 5 discount, the Pref being maintained, but Bonsas Oil and Duke at 2s. 6d. were the turn lower. Dobsons Shares Pulsing were still nominally ⅛, and there were no changes among Motors. Nestles Pref. fully-paid retained the green at 29s. 4½d. Dealings in Textiles were inclined to 2s. better under the lead of a spurt in Courtaulds to 3s. 9d., or 5d. higher. Spurriers at 1¼ x.d. remained a sale of 3s. 1½. Cawoods and Frodingham, J. Lyons were, as anticipated, quoted ex rights at 2½. Maypoles were a further market, improving at one time to 7s. 3d. x.d. Stores claimed little attention, though Jays Ord. at 9½ showed a gain of ⅛. In Land shares, Forestals kept the price at 24s. 6d., but Hays drifted, closing ¼ down at 8½, and Pekins were flat at 13s. Marconis were 2½, and firmer than on the previous day, but among Cable securities Eastern were a point down at 108½. A decline occurred in Watney Combe Defd. at 136, but other Breweries stagnated, and in Hotels Gordon Prefs. fell off ¼ to 4¼, being influenced by the revival of the internecine dispute. Nitrates were scarcely mentioned, but Anglo-Chilian at 9 were ¼ lower.

MINING MARKET MORE CHEERFUL.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

The Mining market yesterday took on a more cheerful appearance with other departments of the House, the lowering of the bank rate causing a sentimental improvement practically all round. The approach of the week-end naturally induced some evening-up operations, and these were hastened by the changed monetary conditions; but dealings were still almost entirely of a professional character. The half-yearly dividend announcements of the Rand Mines Company are now practically complete, and the latest batch evidently gave satisfaction. At any rate, "Johnnies" came into good demand, and, together with certain other favourites, were bid for in the "street," a proceeding which the market has been unaccustomed to of late. "Johnnies," as already indicated, were the chief feature, but Rand Mines, Crown Mines, Modderfonteins, Springs, Brakpan, and several others went ahead. Hendersons were better, also Randfontein Estates, which, after being dull in the morning at only 38⅞, on renewed selling from Amsterdam, came into strong demand. Amsterdam operators (turning buyers, and some good buying orders also taking the price up to 41. It was remarked that Shelle were being sold to buy Royal Dutch, but any Shells coming on the market were well taken, and the price declined only 3d. on an appreciable gain being registered at the close. Mexican Eagles were a strong market throughout the day, opening at a slight advance, and steadily improving on local and Paris buying, and were being unchecked by the fact that many thousands of shares came out as they moved up. Burmah Oil were without response, taking the close registered an appreciable improvement, and gains were marked in the Anglo-Persian Pref. issues and Indo-Burmahs. One or two Trinidad issues had a firmer tendency, and a demand for Anglo-Egyptian "B" Shares found the market none too well supplied, and the price moved up smartly. British Controls were in request on the strength of the latest development report, but the rest of the list presented nothing of outstanding interest. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

Bantjes ..... 2/9 | Modderf'n (1/6) 1/7½ + ⅛
Brakpan ..... 7½ + ⅛ | Modderf'n B ..... 2/4 + ⅛
Cam. Mining (£4) 3½ | Modder Deep 3½
City Deep ..... 3½ + ⅛ | Modder D'p 'A' 1/7½ + ⅛
Cons. Goldfields ..... 2½ + ⅛ | Modder Rose 8½
Cons. Langlaagte ..... 2½ | Nourse Mines 8½
Con. Sebce. (10/) 12/3 | Rand Mines 2/5 + ⅛
Crown M'n'g (4...) ½ + ⅛ | Randfontein ..... 1/1 + ⅛
E. Rand Mines ..... 2½ | Do. Central 8/6 3/6
E. R. Prop. ..... 4/9 + 6d
Geldhuis 2/6
General Mining 2/9 3/3
Governm't M's ..... 2/- + ⅛
Johannesb'g Con. ..... 1/9 + ⅛
Knight Cent. ..... 4/6 4/3 + 6d
Knight's ..... 3/- + ⅛
Knight's Deep 13/6 14/3
Langlaagte Es. 11/9 12/3

RHODESIAN.

Cam and Motor 8/6 9/0
Chartered ..... 1/- + ⅛
Gaika Gold ..... 8/6 9/0 + 6d
Globe & P. 15/6 16/3
G. F. of Bul ..... 2/9 3/0 + 6d
Lonely Reef 2/15/6

DIAMOND.

De Beers Def. (£2½) ..... 9⅝ + ⅛ | Premier D. (£2) 3¼ 4

TIN.

East Pool (5) 2 3/9 3/0
Geevor 1/3 1/
Kinta ..... 2/- + ⅛
Kramat Pulai ..... 1/- + ⅛
Naraguta 1/
Nigerian ..... (3/9) 3/2½ 3/3

WEST AFRICAN.

Ashanti (1/4) 1/3 3/9 3/7 | Gold Coast Amal. 1/6
Fanti Cons. (6...) 7/9 8/3 | Taquah Explor. 8/3 8/5

AUSTRALIAN.

Golden Horseshoe 5/- 5/3
Kalgoorlie Mint. 1/3 1/6
North Broken Hill 13/-
Sulphide Corp. 15/-
Wiluna Gold 1/- 1/3

COPPER.

Arizona (5/-) ..... 1¾ ⅞
Mount Lyell 12/9 13/9
Rhodesia (10/) 2/- 2/3
Rio Tinto (£2) ..... 39 39½ + ⅛
Mount Morgan ..... 1¾ ⅞

RUSSIAN.

Spassky ..... ⅛ ¼

MISCELLANEOUS.

Burma Cor'Rs. 10/ 6/3 4/6 | Mex. Eagle ..... 5⅜ 5⅝ + ⅛
Camp Bird Ord. ..... 3/9 4/3 | Do. Pref. 8⅝ 8¾
Esperanza ..... 3¼ 3½ + ⅛ | Nat. Pet. ..... 5⅞ ⅞
Mexico Mines ..... 1/3 1/6 | Ocean Mines 1/3 1/6
Minorals Separ. ..... 5/- 5/3 | Oilfields Exp. 5/6 6/3
Min. Ore of Om. ..... 2/9 4/0 | Oilfields Ltd. ..... 1/- ⅛
Oil Prof. ..... 1/16 2/16 — ⅛
Overseas Pet. 1/- 1/3
Rand Mines ..... 2/5 2/6 + ⅛
Randfontein ..... 1/1 + ⅛
Do. Central 8/6 3/6
Rob's'n'D'p A (1/) 1/- + ⅛
Rose Deep ..... 11/9 12/6 + 6d
S. Af. Gold Tr's. 13/16
Spring Mines ..... 1/6 1/9 + ⅛
Tr'v'l Ch. Es. (1/) 18/6 19/6
Union C'p (12/6) 14/6 15/6
Van Ryn Deep 3/6 3/9
Village Deep ..... 7/6 8/0 + 6d
Wits'ter'sd'p 2/9 3/3

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo-Dutch 2/3
Anglo-Java 2/7½
Anglo-Malay 12/-
Anglo-Sum 31/6 1/0
Assam 6/6
Bah Lias 15/0 2/3
Bah Caves 15/0
Batu Tiga 23/0
Bercoh 17/6
B. N. B. 5. Pref. ..... 9/9 + 6d
Bisam 1/2
Brith 6/10½
Brit. Burmah 9/-
Brit. Col. Pet. 1/-
Brit. Cord. Pref 10/- 11/- + 6d
Brit. Mtr. Spir. 8/9 9/3
Burmah ..... 9/16 5/8 + ⅛
Caltex 5/5 6/0
Chijolos 9/-
Colon Oil 2/6 3/0
Cyprus Trust 2/0 3/0
Eastern Trust 5/9
Eagle Trust 2/3 2/6
English Oilfields 9/-
Dramsah 1/-
Hamilton's Oil 2/3 2/6
Havana Oil 2/3 2/6
Kamunting 1/6
Kern River ..... 5/5 5/6 + ⅛
Kuantan 11/3
Kopitiglalla 1/- 1/3
Kyshtym 2/- 2/3
Lobitos 4/6 5/0
Malaya Con. 1/- 1/3
Mak. Taman 2/0 2/3
Malaya Pet. 5/- 5/3

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RUBBER SHARES STILL FALLING.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

Depression in Rubbers was still noticeable, though Rubber Trusts, which have been leading the market the last day or two, recovered to 11s., and Malayalams to 5s. Vallambrosas were offered at 10s., but closed at 10s. 1½d. Linggis were still called 1⅛, but Anglo-Dutch rose to 2s., and United Serdangs were only 2s. 7d.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our commentary.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols ..... 46⅛ 46½ + ⅛
War Loan 5% 97½ 97¾ + ⅛
do. 4% ..... 81½ 82½ + ½
do. 3½% ..... 71½ 72½ + ½
Funding Loan ..... 71¾ + ⅛
Victory Bds. ..... 77⅛ 78⅛ + ⅛
Do. Certs. ..... 98⅝ 99⅛ + ⅛
Do. 5½ ..... 97¾ 98¼ + ⅛
Funding Certs. ..... 98⅝ 99⅛ + ⅛
Irish Land 3% 47 48½
Local Loans 53½
Lndn. Deben. 69½
Do. 5½ % ..... 86½ 87½ + ½

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½, 1923 79-4
Aust'n Com 5½ 96 100
Do. 5% 93-3
Do. 1925-37 93-3
Brit. Col. 4½, 1921 73-4
Canada 5½ 1926-46 93-7
Do. 4, 1940-60 73-7
Cape 3½ Con. 64-5
Cape 3½ Cons. 64-5
Natal 3½ 64-5
N.S.W. 4, 1935-7 83-4
Do. 5½, 1925-7 93-4
N. Zealand 4 83-4

FOREIGN BONDS.

Arg'tine 1886 92-4
Do. 5% 97 99-3
Chilian 1895 92-4
do. Fund. 92-5
do. Rys. 1911 94-5
do. Rys. 1913 94-5
do. 4½ ..... 76-7½ + ⅛
Chinese 1898 ..... 70½
Extd 4 42-3
French Loan 61-3
Genoa 3 p.c. 25-6
Greek 3 p.c. ..... 40-7+†
Italian Rentes 57-8

HOME RAILS.

Brighton A 39½ 40½
Cal'dn. D. Ord. ..... 61-2 + ⅛
Do. Pref. 84-5
Chath. Or. 37-8
Gt. Cent. Ord. 47-8
Do. Pref. 71-2
Gt. E. Pref. 41½ 42½
Gt. N. Ord. 54-5
Do. Pref. 84-5
Gt. Western ..... 64-5 + ⅛
Hull & Barn. 89-90
L. & N. W. 69-70
L. & S. W. 49-50
L. B. & S. C. 42-3
L. C. & D. 19-20
Do. Pref. 34-5
Lon. Tilbury 49-50
Metropolitan 29-30
Mid. Ord. 42-3
Do. Pref. 84-5
N. B. Ord. 29-30
N. B. Pref. 49-50
N. E. Ord. 69-70
N. E. Pref. 84-5
N. W. Ord. 69-70
N. W. Pref. 84-5
Sth. Ea. & C. 34-5
Sth. Ea. & C. Pref. 49-50
Sth. Ea. & C. Def. 19-20

AUCTION TO-DAY AT 29 BACHELOR'S WALK, COX'S WELL-KNOWN AUCTION ROOMS.

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